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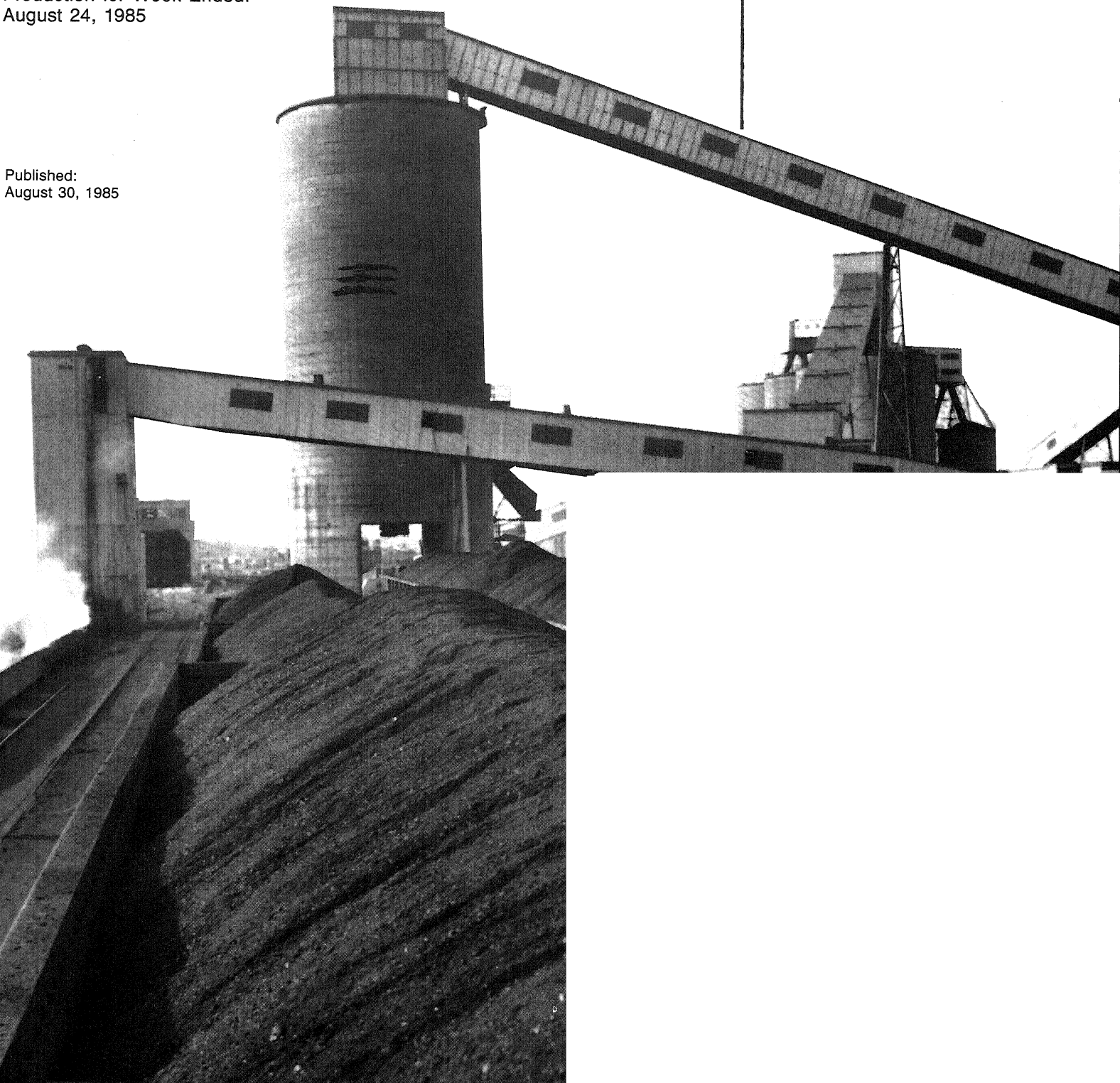
# Weekly Coal Production

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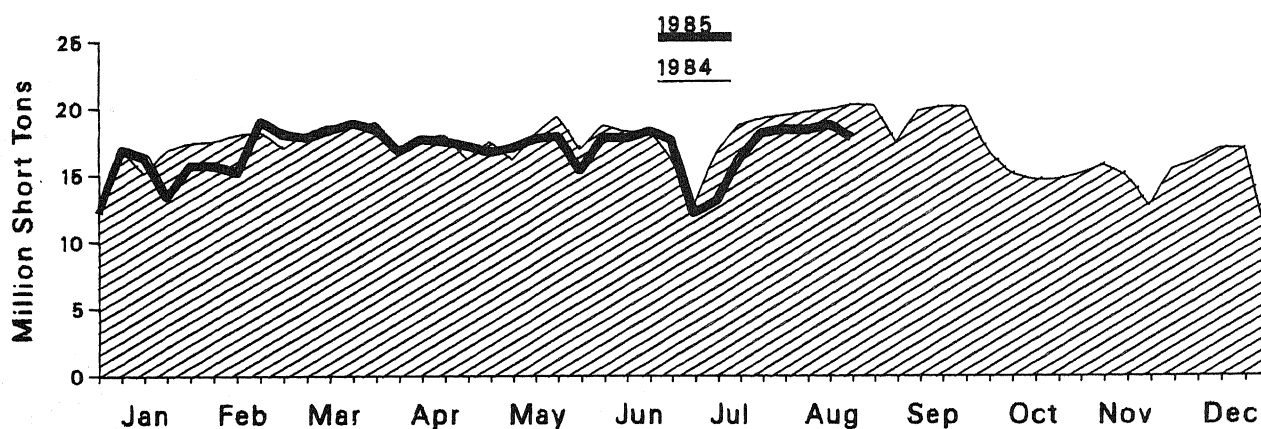
# Highlights

U.S. coal production in the week ended August 24, 1985, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, totaled 17.62 million tons (bituminous coal and lignite, 17.55 million tons; Pennsylvania anthracite .07 million tons). This was 5.3 percent lower than the previous week, and was 12.5 percent lower than in the corresponding week of 1984.

Cumulative U.S. coal production from January 1 through August 24, 1985 was estimated at 570.79 million tons, 4.5 percent below the 597.71 million tons produced in the comparable period in 1984.

The methodology used to make weekly estimates of coal production was last published in the Weekly Coal Production (DOE/EIA-0218(84/40)).

**Figure 1. U.S. Coal Production**



**Table 1. U.S. Coal Production**

Production and Carloadings	Week Ended			Year to Date Ended		
	08/24/85	08/17/85	08/25/84	08/24/85	08/25/84	Percent Change
Production (Thousand Short Tons)						
Bituminous <sup>1/</sup> and Lignite.	17,550	18,541	20,030	568,410	595,272	-4.5
Pennsylvania Anthracite..	66	70	97	2,384	2,439	-2.3
U.S. Total.....	17,616	18,611	20,127	570,794	597,711	-4.5
Railroad Cars Loaded.....	117,233	123,845	134,384	3,751,487	3,974,875	

<sup>1/</sup> Includes subbituminous coal.

Note: All data are preliminary.

Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report"; and State mining agency coal production reports.

**Table 2. Coal Production by State**  
(Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	Week Ended		
	08/24/85	08/17/85	08/25/84
<b>Bituminous Coal<sup>1/</sup> and Lignite</b>			
East of the Mississippi.....	11,831	12,439	13,619
Alabama.....	411	422	587
Georgia.....	-	-	2
Illinois.....	1,326	1,428	1,379
Indiana.....	849	804	823
Kentucky.....	3,103	3,240	4,194
Kentucky, Eastern.....	2,401	2,508	3,211
Kentucky, Western.....	701	732	983
Maryland.....	30	32	83
Ohio.....	848	910	865
Pennsylvania Bituminous.....	1,305	1,360	1,416
Tennessee.....	134	138	157
Virginia.....	953	985	839
West Virginia.....	2,873	3,121	3,274
West of the Mississippi.....	5,719	6,101	6,411
Alaska.....	25	26	13
Arizona.....	236	249	263
Arkansas.....	4	4	4
Colorado.....	304	271	369
Iowa.....	12	13	10
Kansas.....	17	18	16
Missouri.....	70	78	115
Montana.....	561	602	729
New Mexico.....	379	446	486
North Dakota.....	464	497	437
Oklahoma.....	81	87	119
Texas.....	910	961	911
Utah.....	241	228	261
Washington.....	62	66	75
Wyoming.....	2,352	2,556	2,600
Bituminous <sup>1/</sup> and Lignite Total...	17,550	18,541	20,030
Pennsylvania Anthracite.....	66	70	97
U.S. Total.....	17,616	18,611	

<sup>1/</sup> Includes subbituminous coal.

Notes: All data are preliminary. Total may vary because of independent rounding.

Sources: Association of American Railroads; Bureau of Economic Analysis; Energy Information Administration; and State mining agency coal production reports.

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